

# GRIFFITHS WIN GAME IN SEVENTH INNING

Get to Weidell, and, Aided by Errors, Pound Him for Six Runs—Doc Ayers Pitches in His Usual Good Form—Vance Against Herbert To-Day.

RICHMOND.													PORTSMOUTH.												
AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	H.R.	S.B.	S.H.	T.B.	S.O.	B.B.	O.	A.	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	H.R.	S.B.	S.H.	T.B.	S.O.	B.B.	O.	A.
Brennan, 2b.	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Tennant, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laval, c.	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Brooks, s.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piez, 1b.	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Mundy, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Theriot, c.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Howdell, 2b.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newton, s.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Boyd, c.	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ayers, 2b.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Evans, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hogers, c.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Newton, s.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mace, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Hodgins, c.	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ayers, p.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Weidell, p.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	6	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	31	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

It remained for Doctor Ayers to make a deuce set of the present engagement between the Colts and Pirates. The doctor was in his usual form, which is to say that he was too good for the visitors, winning under wraps by the goodly count of 6 to 2.

Well, the bandy-legged youngster who mixes curves, fast ones and a change of pace together so rapidly that one is kept guessing, served blanks to the Griffins in all save the yawning period. When the seventh opened our local proudboys were trailing behind a one-run lead achieved by Bill Howdell's daring.

Contemplating this disadvantage was no sort of entertainment for Steve Griffin. So he started his regulation line of instructions. The result was that Piez landed safe after Howdell had juggled his hard chance, making a poor peg to first. John Raley promptly forced Sandy at second, but went to third on Ducky Ebert's safety. Doc Newton followed with a jam to right, and during the throwing exercise indulged in by Portsmouth, Raley scored. Ducky went to third, and Doc advanced as far as second.

Venable handed Jim Tennant a chance to distinguish himself, but the chance oversteered him, and he dropped the more than easy fly, allowing Theriot to count and everybody else to advance an extra base. Rogers drove straight at Cook, but the play was too slow to get Newton at the plate. Brennan was hit in the ribs, which placed three on the cushions when Bill Laval arrived with his club. He came through with a double, clearing the sacks and testing at second. Ayers ended the session by whiffing at three curves. But enough had been registered to ice the contest. Richmond had six runs from four hits, and Portsmouth was unable to overcome the lead, though trying hard.

Ayers struck out ten men, walked only one, and was hit safely six times, in just one inning allowing two hits to arrive simultaneously. That was in the seventh. Weidell beat his innel roller to Connie Brennan and Tennant, who had struck out on three occasions, was made a present of a groove ball with the count one strike and no balls. He sent his club against the leather, and the ball pulled up against right-field fence, good for three bases, scoring Weidell.

The other run to the credit of Portsmouth, as we have told, happened in the second. Bill Howdell hit to right and was sent home on a fly's sacrifice. He stole third, and while Ayers was getting ready to pitch, crossed the rubber. In no other inning were the Pirates dangerous. They got one other runner as far as second base through an error on the part of John Raley.

As for Weidell, forgetting the com-

## Results in Virginia League

Richmond, 6; Portsmouth, 2.  
Petersburg, 8; Newport News, 2.  
Norfolk, 2; Roanoke, 1.

STANDING OF CLUBS.			
Club	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Richmond	32	16	.667
Petersburg	30	16	.652
Roanoke	27	22	.551
Portsmouth	24	22	.522
Newport News	14	32	.298
Norfolk	13	31	.295

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.  
Portsmouth at Richmond.  
Newport News at Petersburg.  
Roanoke at Norfolk.

combination of circumstances, including terrible smites and some choice bunts, in the seventh, his work is worthy of more than passing mention. He was steady, passing but one, and of the eight safeties recorded, four came in the fatal box. Sandy Piez shared with Cook the fielding honors. Sandy grabbed a nasty left from Evans's bat in the seventh, and Cook stopped a hit for Connie Brennan in the sixth by scooping a terrible drive, making the out on a perfect and fast peg to first.

Win Clarke umpired another good game, and got it through in good time. Steve will probably send Jim Vance after the game to-day, while Garvin is almost sure to try Herbert.

# MRS. SULLIVAN WINS SILVER TENNIS CUP

Richmond Player Defeats Mrs. S. Taylor, of Norfolk, in Splendid Game, and Becomes Owner of the Challenge Trophy—Frank Hall Falls Before Erskine Buford's Steady Play—Finals To-Day.

Before a large number of interested spectators on the courts of the Country Club of Virginia yesterday afternoon, Mrs. William Sullivan, of this city, defeated Mrs. Saunders Taylor, of Norfolk, in the challenge round of the women's singles after one of the hardest fought and most brilliantly played games ever witnessed in Richmond.

The players were in their best form and the weather was just what was needed to make the game pleasant. Each of the women executed difficult plays, the final score being 6-4, 6-3, in favor of Mrs. Sullivan, who for the third time won the challenge trophy, which now becomes her personal property.

Erskine Buford, of Richmond, defeated Frank Hall, of Lynchburg, in the men's trials after a long drawn-out and hard-fought game, which was featured with brilliant shots and extraordinary steady playing. Mr. Hall led twice in the first set, but in the fifth set was in the lead five to three, but Mr. Buford, out in each set by just one point. Mr. Buford played steadily and finally overcame Hall's lead, and came out victorious by the score of 6-4, 6-3.

This evening at 8 o'clock at the Country Club of Virginia cups will be awarded to the winners of the various events.

## Amateur Games To-Day

Capital City League.  
College of Arts vs. Barton Heights, at Lee Park.  
Avalon vs. Battle Axe, at Barton Heights.

Old Dominion League.  
Woodall & Quaker vs. Rabins, at Byrd Park.  
Tyler's vs. Wright's, at Chesapeake and Ohio Park.

Richmond League.  
Bark & Co. vs. Archer, at Highland Park.  
American vs. Cherry Smash, at Richmond College.

Southside League.  
Tunstall's vs. Stirling's, at Tunstall's Park.  
Manchester vs. Swansboro, at Manchester Park.

Commercial League.  
Home Brewing Co. vs. Crafts, at Seminary.  
Ryan-Smith vs. Syde, at Harvey Park.

West End League.  
Cuba vs. Cardinals, at Meadow Park.  
Riverside vs. Pirates, at Harvey Park.

Midland vs. Giants, at Athletic Park.

# Names of the Prominent Fans Cartooned Friday

**28** JOHN G. CORLEY, president of the Corley Co., president of the Wednesday Club Musical, and a leading member of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Corley stands for progressive Richmond at all times, and is a member of all business organizations that work for Richmond progress.

**29** SAMUEL COHEN, one of the leading members in the Retail Merchants' Association, and is a member of the firm of Cohen Co., one of our largest dry goods firms, a member of the Board of Directors of the Virginia State Fair Association, and is the leading factor in the Richmond Home Coming Week of 1915. He is also a member of the Virginia Penitentiary Board, and is one of the leaders in the upbuilding of Richmond.

**30** JOHN W. MCCOMB, president of the Highland Park Realty Co., one of Richmond's largest suburban real estate companies, having successfully developed Highland Park and Battery Court and other large acreage near Richmond for suburban homes. He is truly a wide awake real estate man.



## Free Seats Weekly to Readers Who Correctly Name the Men Cartooned

You must mail or bring your answers each day—remember, EACH DAY—before 5 P. M. Tell who each cartoon represents each day. Clip the feature and fill in coupon each day. At the end of the week the contestants sending in correct solutions for each day of the contest will receive two seats each in case there are more than ten successful contestants. The Times-Dispatch will award each successful contestant One Seat.

To Contest Editor, Times-Dispatch: The prominent fans cartooned to-day are:

(1) ..... (2) ..... (3) .....

Signed ..... Address .....

Date ..... Every Tuesday the Successful Contestants for the Preceding Week will be Announced.

# CHAMPIONS WILL BATTLE FOR TITLE

Country Club of Virginia to Send Strong Team to Washington Next Saturday.

The first of the team matches in the Middle Atlantic Golf Association will be played in Washington next Saturday, when the team from the Country Club of Virginia will meet the Bannockburn team on the Columbia course. The team to represent the Country Club of Virginia will be chosen from the following players: William H. Palmer, Jr., H. Stewart Jones, Gessner Harrison, F. J. D. Mackay, Rives Fleming, Douglas Call, Granville Gray, E. T. Oran and John W. Atkinson.

Last year the championship of the Middle Atlantic Golf Association was won by the team representing the Country Club of Virginia, and the local team will endeavor to repeat the performance this year.

Tuesday next the Hermitage Club team and the Country Club of Virginia team will get together in a practice round over the course at Westhampton.

## Harry Payne Whitney Making Difficult Shot



Captain Harry Payne Whitney, the dashing American player, who starred in the first match of the International Polo Cup Match, which the Yankees won 5-2 to 3. Is shown drawing up his pony to avoid being struck by Whitney's whizzing mallet.

# HOODOO THIRTEEN FIGURES IN GAME

But Norfolk Scores Two in Ninth and Wins Out From Roanoke.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Norfolk, Va., June 13.—While the score was only 2 to 1 in favor of Norfolk, the hoodoo thirteen cut a big figure in to-day's game with Roanoke.

In the first place, it was the thirteenth of June, and each team had thirteen assets, and the winning run was sent across by Roy Whitecraft, who has thirteen letters in his name.

Roanoke had the game won up to the ninth inning. Gardin, in the second inning, counted with one of Steve Saxton's spitters and put it over the right field fence. It was the only run scored by either team up to the last half of the ninth, and it looked like it was going to win for the visitors.

But when Norfolk came in to bat, Kircher drove one against centre field fence for two bases. Jenkins sent a long fly to right, and Kircher went to third. Schrader hit a hot one down that line that the infield could not handle, and Kircher scored. Keller hit to short, forcing Schrader. Keller stole second and went to third on Vandine's single. Whitecraft broke up the game by driving a hot one through second base.

Gaston outpitched Perryman at all stages. He let Roanoke down with four hits, and should have won by a larger score. There will be two games to-morrow.

Roanoke.						Norfolk.					
AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McCracken, rf.	4	0	1	2	0	Long, cf.	2	0	1	0	0
Presley, 2b.	4	0	0	4	2	Kircher, 2b.	4	1	2	4	1
Ginn, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	Jenkins, 3b.	3	0	1	1	0
Mattis, 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	Schrader, 1b.	4	0	1	12	2
Irmischer, 2b.	2	0	0	1	0	Keller, rf.	3	1	0	1	0
Gardin, 1b.	3	1	1	5	0	Vandine, ss.	4	0	1	13	0
Spy, ss.	1	0	2	2	0	Whitecraft, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0
LaFite, c.	3	0	0	7	4	Stewart, c.	2	0	1	4	0
Perryman, p.	3	0	0	4	0	Gaston, p.	3	0	0	1	2
Totals.	23	1	4	26	13	Totals.	29	2	7	27	13

Summary: Stolen bases—Ginn, Spy and Vandine. Sacrifices—Hits—Spy, Irmischer and Jenkins. Two-base hits—Stewart and Kircher. Home runs—Gardin. Double play—Schrader (unassisted). Struck out—By Perryman, 4; by Gaston, 8. Base on balls—On Perryman, 3 (Long, 2, and Keller); on Gaston, 1 (Spy). Wild pitch—Gaston. Batters—Perryman and Gaston. Hit by pitcher—Stewart. Left on bases—Roanoke, 3; Norfolk, 5. Umpire, Norcum. Time of game, 1:33. Attendance, 500.

# JOE TURNER WINS WRESTLING BOUT

Takes Two Straight Falls From Scroggins, Who Lost Forfeit in Failure to Make Weight.

Joe Scroggins, the Baltimore wrestler, fell a victim to Joe Turner's science at Broad Street Park last night before a large audience. Scroggins lost his forfeit of \$25 by not making 165 pounds ringside. He tipped the scales at 171 pounds, while Turner weighed 162 pounds. The men worked hard and the first fall went to Turner after forty-nine minutes of labor, when he held an arm lock and head scissors hold, from which Scroggins could not free himself.

# PLAY POSTPONED GOLF GAME TO-DAY

To-day, on the links of the Country Club of Virginia, the eighteen-hole handicap medal play tournament, postponed from last Saturday on account of rain, will be played. The committee has decided to allow all players of the club to enter this tournament, whether they were in the final round last Saturday or not.

# SENSATIONAL RACE IS WON BY SEBAGE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Latonia, Ky., June 13.—Sebage, heavily backed, scored a sensational victory over Silver Ball in the feature race here this afternoon. He came from away back in the final quarter, and won by a nose. It was the narrowest escape from defeat the form players have encountered in days.

Only two favorites failed to reward the talent during the afternoon. In the second race Forehand finished first at odds of 9 to 1. The other long shot to score was Klondike Girl, which won the fifth at odds of better than 5 to 1.

The vanguard of the Canadian delegation which is coming to Latonia to watch the running of the Latonia Derby to-morrow arrived to-day. The "Knucks" came with the firm determination to back Great Britain off the boards to win the Derby. This race is now the favorite in the betting.

# TEN YACHTS WILL PARTICIPATE

American Fleet From Which to Pick Defenders Nearly Complete.

Boston, June 13.—The fleet of American yachts, from which the three defenders of the President Wilson cup against the third German invasion will be selected, is complete with the exception of one boat.

It is expected that ten, possibly eleven, yachts will participate in the elimination events, entries for which close July 19, and that the races, which will begin August 16, at Marble Head, will be the closest ever sailed in American waters by this class of boats.

The German elimination races will be held at Kiel next week, and the three challengers are expected to be in Marble Head harbor before the 15th of August.

# Amusements ACADEMY—All This Week

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